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Application No.: 10/652,004

Examiner: Tawfik A. Goma

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Group Art Unit: 2627

Title: Focus error signal generation

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ELECTION/RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of June 14, 2006, please amend the application as follows and consider the following remarks.